

**IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
FOR THE EASTERN DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA**

ROBERT A. GIBBS,

Plaintiff,

v.

JEFF JENS, et al.,

Defendants.

No. 2:20-CV-1956-KJM-DMC

ROBERT A. GIBBS,

Plaintiff,

v.

SHON NORTHAM, et al.,

Defendants.

No. 2:20-CV-1957-TLN-DMC

ROBERT A. GIBBS,

Plaintiff,

v.

STEPHANIE A. BRIDGETT, et al.,

Defendants.

No. 2:20-CV-1961-KJM-DMC

1 ROBERT A. GIBBS,

2 Plaintiff,

3 v.

4 STATE OF CALIFORNIA, et al.,

5 Defendants.

No. 2:22-CV-0299-TLN-JDP

ORDER

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7 Plaintiff, who is proceeding pro se, brings these civil actions. Examination of the
8 above-entitled actions reveals that these cases are related within the meaning of Eastern District
9 of California Local Rule 123(a). The Court finds that assignment of the matters to the same
10 District Judge and Magistrate Judge is likely to effect a substantial savings of judicial effort and is
11 also likely to be convenient for the parties. The parties should be aware that relating the cases
12 merely has the result that the actions are assigned to the same judges. No consolidation of the
13 actions is effected. Under the regular practice of this Court, related cases are generally assigned
14 to the District Judge and Magistrate Judge to whom the first filed action was assigned.

15 Accordingly, IT IS HEREBY ORDERED that:

16 1. The four above-captions actions are related pursuant to Local Rule 123(a);
17 2. The action denominated as Case No. 2:20-CV-1957-TLN-DMC is
18 reassigned to Chief United States District Judge Kimberly J. Mueller for all further proceedings,
19 and the caption on documents filed in the reassigned case shall be shown as *Gibbs v. Northam, et*
20 *al.*, 2:20-CV-1957-KJM-DMC;

21 3. The action denominated as Case No. 2:22-CV-0299-TLN-JDP is
22 reassigned to Chief United States District Judge Kimberly J. Mueller and United States
23 Magistrate Judge Dennis M. Cota for all further proceedings, and the caption on documents filed
24 in the reassigned case shall be shown as *Gibbs v. State of California, et al.*, 2:22-CV-0299-KJM-
25 DMC;

26 4. The actions captioned above remain under referral to the assigned
27 Magistrate Judge for all pretrial proceedings; and
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1 5. The Clerk of the Court is directed to make appropriate adjustment in the
2 assignment of civil cases to compensate for this reassignment.

3 DATED: June 6, 2022.

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7 CHIEF UNITED STATES DISTRICT JUDGE
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